

RICHMOND DEMOCRAT.

Thursday Evening, May 29, '79.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO. don't do a credit business, but persons who have been accommodated by having a ticket made of their purchases will please call and pay them. Time is up.

A new lot of Fur, Wool and Straw Hats just received by S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Prop in and see the Goods of S. R. CRISPIN & CO., before you buy. It will pay you.

Organic and Linen Lawns, and White Goods of all kinds and at all prices at S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO., a suit you in Ladies Shoes, and you will regret it if you buy before you see their stock.

The finest assortment of Ladies' Footwear in the city can be found at 19-11 S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Wasson & Fowler have a nickel counter. That is to say, you can buy anything on the counter for 5 cents.

The very latest styles and best brand of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes at prices to suit the times, at Wasson & Fowler's, 7-9-11.

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Boots and Shoes can be bought at bottom rock prices at Holt & Hughes, 6-11.

New goods just received and sold as low as anywhere in the county at, Holt & Hughes, 6-11.

Wasson & Fowler are now receiving and offering for sale the largest and best selected stock of Boys' and Men's Hats, ever brought to this market, 7-9-11.

In Clothing, Wasson & Fowler are prepared to suit every one desiring a new suit, from the little man, to the big man who does his No. 40, 7-9-11.

Clothing in all Styles and Colors at bottom prices at S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

CHOICE GROCERIES. Strictly choice Coffee, 5 lbs for \$3. 1.00. Brown Sugar, 11 to 14 lbs for \$3. 1.00. Fresh Coffee, 10 lbs for \$3. 1.00. Fine Syrup, per gallon, 75c. 10-11 Holt & Hughes.

GO TO FARRIS & SON'S FOR GOOD BARGAINS. 13-11.

SHIRTS! SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!!! Do you want a shirt that will fit you? If you do call on S. R. Crispin & Co., and leave an order for a lot of the Celebrated F. A. Steer Shirts, of St. Louis. They will give you satisfaction, A. G. guaranteed.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

OUR WANTS. Half Million Pounds of Wool. Ten thousand Dry Hides. Three thousand pounds of Butter. Five thousand dozen Eggs. BROWN & BROS., 19-11-21, MORTON, MO.

BOB'S WEEKLY BULLETIN. Bargains. Bargains.

Hop Bitters, only 85 cents. Minnons Regulator, only 85 cents. Clifton's Sarsaparilla, only 85 cents. Harpers Iron Tonic, only 85 cents. Roschies Syrup, only 85 cents. August Flower, only 85 cents.

This list will be changed every two weeks and new articles added. Come with your money to the "PALACE DRUG STORE," CAMDEN, MO. R. A. PRICHARD, Proprietor.

Again I say come to the Port. QUEENSBERRY.

Produce bought and sold at QUEENSBERRY'S.

New stock of Boots and Shoes, at Holt & Hughes, 10-11.

Suits \$10 worth \$15, at Wasson & Fowler's, 7-9-11.

Gentlemen's Neck Ties and Neck Wear of every description at S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

A splendid line of Boys' and Youths' Clothing, at Wasson & Fowler's, 7-9-11.

For pure coffee's and sugar's call on Holt & Hughes, 6-11.

Wasson & Fowler's \$12 Suits are simply elegant, 7-9-11.

For a first-class Sewing Machine, call on J. W. Bowen, at the Post Office, 17-3m.

Wasson & Fowler's Button Shoes are worth a trip to see them, for you can't leave without buying a pair, 7-9-11.

FIVE CENT COUNTER. -AT- WASSON & FOWLER'S.

THE BIGGEST THING IN THE WORLD.

10,000 ARTICLES, And Master Harry Davis will give you your choice for only FIVE CENTS.

Full line of Spring Styles Hats, at Holt & Hughes, 10-11.

Just think of it! A full suit at Wasson & Fowler's, for \$6. 7-9-11.

In Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods of any kind S. R. CRISPIN & CO. can suit you. Call and see for yourself.

If you want a real bargain in the dry goods line, go at once to Holt & Hughes, 6-11.

Rather a novel wedding occurred at the Court House in this place on Thursday May 22, 1879. By some misunderstanding of the machinery of the law, Mrs. Mary Rodgers, had married Mr. William Coleman, before being legally released from a former tie in wedlock. The parties had to appear before his Honor Judge Dunn, for some purpose, and on making some inquiry this fact was developed. The Judge blandly informed Mrs. Rodgers that her last marriage was not legal, and that she had better proceed at once to be re-married. Mr. Coleman, by the silence of his bymen, (These are not the Judge's exact words.) It was at once proposed to the Judge that he pronounce for them the magic words that should make them one flesh, but the Judge with all the solemnity of a school girl, declined to do a task, and Esquire G. M. Beckley was immediately sent for. He appeared upon the scene and in the midst of a crowded court room, solemnized the rites of matrimony between the parties, and let the happy couple go on their way rejoicing. We learn that this was the first couple ever married in the Circuit Court room of Ray county Missouri. The Squire tied the knot good and strong, and the couple may live together peacefully, happily and prosperously.

The Richmond School Board will have a delicate duty to perform in the selection of teachers for the school, the next scholastic year. There are some conflicting factors here that will make the result unsatisfactory to some or no matter what the decision may be. This is an unfortunate state of affairs for the Board, in our judgment, should be left free to act for the best interest of the district. Richmond should have an efficient public school, in fact it is necessary for her material prosperity, and we hope the board will act with judgment and discretion in the matter of selecting teachers, regardless of any outside influences that may be brought to bear upon them to influence their action.

A fellow by the name of Charles Cowgal has gotten himself into trouble. Stopping down at R. & L. Junction railway, he broke into a car and took the valves and clothing of Mr. Charles Word, of that place, and appropriated them to his own use. He then went over to Lexington where he violated the city ordinance and went to the rock pile for 5 or 10 days. As soon as he gets through with that little recreation, Sheriff McGinnis will take him in charge by virtue of a warrant issued by Esquire G. M. Beckley, of this place, on a charge of grand larceny, and he will more than likely be furnished more recreation at Jefferson City before he is out of November leave us. Charlie has fallen upon evil days, and his future is not very bright.

Our exchanges report robberies and burglaries to be quite common in almost every section of the country, and we are not entirely exempt in Richmond. On Sunday night last an unsuccessful effort was made to burglarize the residence of Mr. G. D. Sayre, also on the same night, some thief tried to break into the house of Mr. Dickenson. Got your fire-arms in order, and if Mr. Dick carries off anything, let it be hot lead.

Our predecessor in the publication of this paper sent it out regularly to every preacher in the county as a compliment, expecting nothing in return. We are following the same practice only we expect of all preachers receiving the Democrat, free, that they will send us all items of county news that may come under their observation or to their knowledge. We furnish you the news, how, will you do the same by us? A fair exchange is no robbery.

The case of Hannah Wyosong against her late husband, Lewis B. Wyosong, for \$10,000 for slander, brought here on a change of venue from Clay county, was called up in Circuit Court last week and continued. Something like 50 persons were here from Clay county in connection with the case, but as the editor of this paper was sick at the time, the names of our visitors were not obtained. The case will come up again at the November term.

Arrangements were made this week to have a "Temperance Column" in the future in both the Democrat and Democrat, to be conducted by Messrs. J. H. Dunn and C. J. Hughes, Jr.

The young men selected to run these departments have both the energy and the ability to make their influence felt, if they will only properly exert it.

The Richmond City Council ought to have a meeting and set apart certain streets for the sole use of surplus rubbish and rubbish thrown out from the yards and orchards, and certain other streets they ought to have cleaned up and put in decent traveling order. If we must have the brush and rubbish in the street let it be confined to reasonable limits.

If men would always think before they speak and never repeat idle gossip that comes to their ears, this world would be much happier and many aches would be prevented. This will apply with equally as great force to the women as to the men. The practice of tattling causes untold misery to the human family.

At a meeting of the State Medical Association held in Columbia last week, Dr. G. M. B. Maughan, of St. Louis, as one of our better-half was elected President for the ensuing year. Dr. J. W. Smith, of this place, attended the meeting.

Mr. William Scurry, from near Camden, reports a large number of grasshoppers down in the bottom. He takes them to be the regular Kansas red leg. They hardly do much damage, as detached lob that way soon die out.

The Richmond Democrat is "booming" right along. The good report comes in from every part of the county, that the people like it and will patronize it liberally. The Democrat's recollection is on a solid foundation, and is now one of the fixed institutions of old Ray.

When you see a man come lute court with an armful of books on one side, and another lot strapped together in the other hand, you may swear it is a Lexington lawyer, but it is the Lexington over and back. Ray merchants are generally too wide awake to lose trade by that kind of a dodge.

We are in receipt of a communication from "A Miner" in answer to what we said in regard to the strike at this place. The communication goes over to next week, for want of space, at which time we want to say a word on this subject.

Distribution of School Funds.

The County Clerk has completed the distribution of the school fund to the different districts, for this year, and the money is now ready when called for by proper authority. The reports show 6598 white children, and 588 colored children in the county. The funds distributed are as follows: State Fund, \$5,246 76; Common School Fund, \$4,233 55; Township Fund, \$2,502 57, making a total of \$12,982 88.

If all the school districts in the county could be made to see the importance of making a very full report of the number of children in their districts, we would get a much larger amount of state money every year than we do. Between the ages of 6 and 21 years there are not less than ten thousand children in the county, both white and black. Yet we have only 7,180 reported. We hope those in charge of this matter will do better in the future.

FOR SALE.

Two valuable Lots in Snowden Addition, for sale cheap. Terms easy. Apply to MRS. D. H. SNOWDEN. 22-21

A Close Call.

On Thursday evening last, a small son of Geo. W. Stinnett, and one of R. R. Brown, each aged about 8 years, were playing in a yard in the Western part of town with an ax. When by some means Stinnett's boy got a cut over the right eye, loosening the skin so it fell down over the eye. He was badly scared, but not much hurt, and after the wound was properly dressed, concluded that if he could get some rock candy he would get well. Boys should be very careful when handling edge tools, and this remark will apply to persons of all ages.

Auction Sale of Cook-Stoves at Law, son, Mo.

Every Saturday, now don't say you want a stove and stay away. I am also agent for the full line of Buckeye Harvesting Machines. J. C. WEAKLEY.

Farmers Central Committee.

The Central Committee appointed by the farmers Mass Meeting, held at Elk Horn, the latter part of March, will meet in Richmond, on the first Saturday in June next, to consider any matters in the line of their duty. A full attendance is requested.

L. M. Grant, the Kansas City Horse Dealer, is the city buying small mules. He can be found at Whitmer & Co's, stable.

Gone to Judgment.

In the United States Court, at Kansas City last week, judgments were given against Ray county on bonded indebtedness, as follows:

John M. Owsley vs. Ray county: judgment of pleading against defendant for \$125.225.

Robert J. Briggs vs. same: bonds and coupons filed; leave to withdraw bonds and coupons after due cancellation by leaving copies.

Horatio D. Van Sickle vs. same: submitted to court and judgment for \$90, 37 1/2.

E. V. Snelley vs. same: submitted to court and judgment for \$6,885.05.

The whole thing was a one-sided arrangement, as Judge Kinkel decides in favor of bonds regardless of the evidence. The people can now prepare to meet the issue face to face.

Farm For Sale.

I want to sell my farm of 150 acres, nearly all under fence—about sixty acres in cultivation, balance in woods; pastures; good frame dwelling, with three rooms; a nice young fruit orchard; also a good sugar orchard; in pasture. For further information enquire of the undersigned, living on said farm, one mile North-West of Fredricksburg, Ray County, Mo. 22-1m. J. N. SMART.

MARES WANTED.

We want to buy a lot of Mares, from 4 to 8 years old, in good flesh. Will be in Richmond, at Whitmer & Co's stable on Monday and Tuesday June 2nd, and 3rd, 1879. MILLER & FARABEE.

Fourth of July.

The committee on arrangements for the 4th of July Temperance celebration, have secured the grounds of Dr. W. W. Mosby, South-East of Richmond, on the Richmond & Lexington road. And also the services of C. J. Hughes, Jr., to deliver the welcome address, and Chas. M. Nye, son of the late Senator Nye, of Nevada, and Secretary of the American Temperance Association, of Missouri, to deliver an address on the occasion. Everybody is invited. Come one, come all, let us have a grand Temperance Jubilee. Persons desiring to secure privilege of keeping stands should see committee at once.

J. B. HINES, J. T. FORD, J. P. QUEENSBERRY, Com. Wm. WILSON, J. H. DUNN.

We are indebted to Mr. M. H. Hodson, Secretary of the Kansas State Agricultural and Stock Association, for a complimentary ticket to their first annual fair, to be held on the Kansas City Exposition grounds commencing July 1st, and continuing four days. Very liberal premiums are offered on stock generally, and good inducements held out to stock men to attend. It is also the intention of the Association to introduce some novel and entertaining features each night, such as chariot, four-hand racing, stage coach racing, &c. The grounds will be lighted up with the new "electric light." The whole arrangement will be a grand entertainment.

Lexington proposes to give free forage to all Ray county people who come over here to trade. Lexington Intelligence.

Thank you. The Ray county people can get better bargains on this side of the big muddy without the risk of crossing over and back. Ray merchants are generally too wide awake to lose trade by that kind of a dodge.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Salt at QUEENSBURY'S.

Jack Botta has a splendid new sign, the longest one in town.

Ben Conrow, who is glad to see everybody, is at QUEENSBURY'S.

Messrs. Hamacher & Bro. are building a new granary just South of their mill, to store their surplus grain.

The new residence being erected by Mr. Patton, in the Eastern part of town will be a perfect daisy when completed.

A few strawberries are offered on this market at 75 cents a gallon. Editors are too poor to indulge in such luxuries.

Clean out your cellars neatly, and sprinkle the floor with kerosene oil. It may save you a doctor's bill.

Pic-Nic's are beginning to be talked of, and our young folks are on the look out for the best localities.

Spring chickens are slow coming in. Ye editor man has not had his tooth on one this spring.

Don't forget that Miller & Farabee will be here next Monday and Tuesday to buy mares. Bring them in.

Prof. James E. Dunn will preach at the Christian Church next Sunday morning and night at the usual hours.

We had another shower of Lexington lawyers over here yesterday, and for hour after hour they filled the Court House with sound.

The aggregate value of the taxable property in Carrollton is put down at \$954,094, of the amount over \$200,000 is in notes and bonds.

Let him who thinks he stands unshaken beware! Last there suddenly comes a yearning for that ice cold lager beer, that he can't resist.

Next Sunday, June 1st, will be the first anniversary of the Richmond Cyclone. Let us all hope that such another cyclone will never occur in the State.

Every mother-in-law should recommend Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for her grand-children and thus keep peace in the family.

Charlie Sayre lost a valuable yarn this week. He got it choked up in his throat and some how he could never find again.

On the 4th of June is the day set by the school board to name their teachers for next year. We hope they will use judgment and select good ones.

On the fourth page of this paper will be found the drug store law, as finally passed by the Legislature. Druggists had better preserve it for future reference.

The farmers are beginning to bring in their spring clip of wool, and Mr. Joy the butcher, has bought several thousand pounds already. He is paying 20 cents for good wool in the grease.

What has become of the towns' fall project. Is it possible that an enterprise of so much value to the town is to be permitted to die out for want of proper nursing?

At the regular temperance meeting at this place on Tuesday night last, Elder S. B. Peeler delivered a short address to the society which we have heard very highly spoken of.

Call at S. R. CRISPIN & CO'S store if you wish to look through a very full stock of Ladies Dress Goods and Trimmings. They can suit you.

Our Granger friends will have a Basket Pic-Nic at New Hope Church, some 4 miles South-West of town next Tuesday. Col. Jasper Needham will address them at that occasion.

Mr. Irish, the editor of the Northern Independent, was confined to his room last week with an attack of Erysipelas.

We hope he is on deck again by this time. The Independent is one of our best exchanges.

We have a sympathetic spot in our heart for the poor man who reared a large family of children and in the habit of telling them that they might make as much noise as they pleased if they would only keep quiet.

To think clearly and act quickly one must have good health. Indigestion is the foe of health and should at once be driven from the system by the regular use of Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pill. Price 25 cents.

Mr. John Barger, the new butcher, who has a shop under Mr. Feather's store, will please accept our thanks for a choice roast of beef. He is killing some excellent stock now, and can furnish the people of Richmond something choice in the way of fresh meat.

The temperance society at this place, held their regular meeting on Thursday night of last week. Col. Rount, of Liberty, on account of sickness, failed to deliver the promised lecture, but Judge Dunn filled his place with ability.

Mr. John Thomas, who has been keeping a bakery and restaurant just in the rear of the courthouse in this place, quietly folded his tent, on Tuesday evening last and moved to Kansas City. Richmond is to small a town for so large a business.

On Friday evening last, a boy tramp about 14 years old, jumped from a car down at the Junction, and broke the ankle. Dr. M. C. Jacobs, of this place, was sent for by the company, and at last accounts the boy was doing well.

Hamburg Edgings, both White and Colored, a very full line at 19-11 S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

The woods are full of Locust hereabout, but we don't know whether they are the 17 year locust or some other kind. They are quite harmless until they go to leave, and then they will make your young fruit trees suffer, by splitting the limbs on the underside to displace their eggs.

For bargains in Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Dress Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps or Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, go to S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

The Purple Ribbon Temperance Society was organized at Orrick, on Tuesday night of last week, with Mr. Sullivan as president of the meeting. On Monday night last, Prof. J. E. Dunn and Mr. John H. Dunn, of this place went up there and made speeches to the society which were well received, and several additions made to the order. The officers of the organization were installed on Monday night. We would give their names if we had them, but they have not been furnished us, but people about Orrick seem to be somewhat awakened on this subject.

Shoes written the above we learn that the officers were not installed on Monday night but will be installed to-night.

Ladies Dress Goods. A large invoice of ladies Dress Goods of the most fashionable styles just opened at Wasson & Fowler's.

The Best Stock. The best stock of Hats ever displayed in the Richmond market, at Wasson & Fowler's.

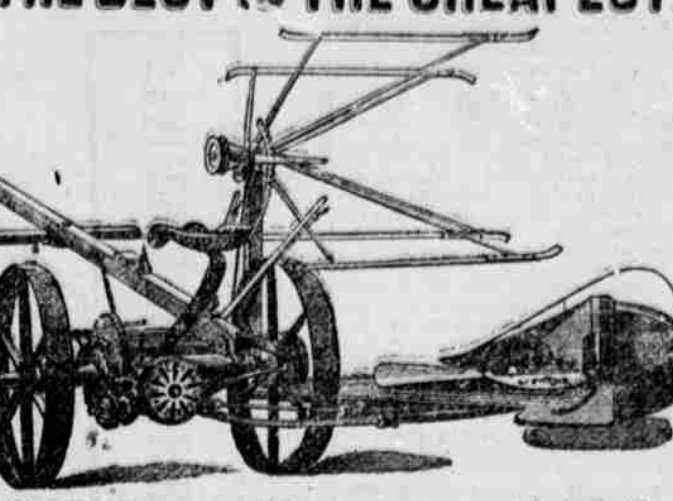
Gutta Percha Paint. If you want to give your house a new coat of paint, go to Mosby & Son's and get the Gutta Percha, which is already mixed.

Ladies Dress Goods. A large invoice of ladies Dress Goods of the most fashionable styles just opened at Wasson & Fowler's.

SEWING MACHINES. If you want to buy a Sewing Machine, call at our store and see the "New Home." It is a first class Machine in every respect. Price \$30 to \$32. S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

ROLL CARDBING. The Roll Carding Machines at the Hamacher Mill, are now ready for work. Bring on your Wool! Will Card the same for 10 cents per pound. 18-2m J. R. HAMACHER & BRO.

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.



JACKSON & PATTON HAVE THE BEST.

Call and see the Famous

NEW BUCKEYE TABLE-RAKE

With Adjustable Reel, Just out. The only Reliable Self-Rake in the market, and the only Machine that has proved a success in a Wet Harvest, as it is Lighter Draught than any other, and has

NO COG-GEARING in the Drive Wheel to clog up. Call and see it at JACKSON & PATTON'S.

We also have a Full Stock of Pine Lumber, Doors, Window Sash, Paints, and the Justly Celebrated Bath Road Wagon. All of which will be sold at Bottom Prices.

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AND Queensware Store,

Northeast Corner Public Square;

WARINNER & CO.,

PROPRIETORS.

Keep a splendid stock of Fresh Groceries

always on hand, and sell strictly for CASH,

AT THE LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

We don't expect to sell all the Goods in our

line, but would like to receive at least a share of the public patronage.

Goods delivered free to any part of city.

Give Us a Call.

Dealers in Country Produce.

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W. R. JACKSON, (EAST SIDE OF PUBLIC SQUARE)

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